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Applicants: Takayuki MITSUYA et al. Conf.: 6326
Serial No.: 09/423,085 Art Unit: 1761
Filed: November 2, 1999 Examiner: MADSEN
For: POWDER COMPOSITION

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

Commissioner for Patents June 12, 2003
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of February 21, 2003, the period for responding having been extended one (1) month until June 13, 2003, the following amendments and Remarks are respectfully submitted in the file of the above-identified application.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Cancel claims 13 and 15, without prejudice.

Amend claims 14 and 16-20, so that claims 14 and 16-23 read as follows:

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Applicant: Takayuki MITSUYA et al. Conf.: 6326

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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INDEPENDENT	1	-	3	= 0	\$ 84 \$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					\$280 \$0.00
					TOTAL \$0.00

Petition for one (1) month(s) extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17 and 1.136(a). \$110.00 for the extension of time.

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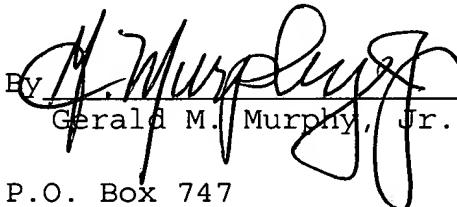
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Please charge Deposit Account No. 02-2448 in the amount of \$0.00. This form is submitted in triplicate.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 or 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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